

RESOLUTION NO.

WHEREAS, Police Sergeant Robert McGowen of the Austin Police Department was injured while attempting to arrest a suspect on July 27, 2007; and

WHEREAS, the Civil Service Act provides leave for up to one year for Civil Service police officers injured in the line of duty and Sergeant McGowen was unable to return to full duty during the year since his injury; and

WHEREAS, the Civil Service Act authorizes a municipality's governing body to extend the injury leave at full pay; **NOW, THEREFORE**,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF AUSTIN:

That the injury leave provided for Sergeant Robert McGowen under Section 143.073 of the Texas Local Government Code, at full pay is hereby extended beyond November 22, 2008. This extension shall cover additional periods of leave necessary because of the injury he sustained on July 27, 2007, up to a maximum of one year of additional leave.

ADOPTED: _____, 2008 **ATTEST:** _____

Shirley A. Gentry
City Clerk